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Miss Maud Boothby, who taught the primary department of our public schools last year, received the white veil at the Sacred Heart Convent in St. Louis last Sunday.

Taken up by Jos. Rudloff, 11-2 mile this side of New Bremen, an old black mule with white collar mark on top of neck; sore on left leg; very poor condition. Owner can have same by paying expenses. 182

Mrs. Memie Schaefer was arrested and placed in jail here Monday charged with disturbing the peace. She was fined \$1 and costs and released on Thursday.

Prosecuting Attorney Stanton went to Jonea yesterday to try the case of Zim Hunt and David Graff, charged with disturbing religious worship in Saline township.

Moments are useless if trifled away; and they are dangerously wasted if consumed by delay in cases where One Minute Cough Cure would bring immediate relief. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

Marriage licenses were issued this week to August J. Horst of Beauvais township and Mary M. Kettinger of Weingarten, and to Frank Maurice and Emily Goveau of Bloomsdale.

No man or woman can enjoy life or accomplish much in this world while suffering from a torpid liver. DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the pills that cleanse that organ, quickly. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

DIED, of blood poisoning, on Saturday, September 18, 1897, at her home in Danby, Mrs. Jacob Lauen, aged 59 years. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery at Bloomsdale on Sunday.

To heal the broken and diseased tissues, to soothe the irritated surfaces, to instantly relieve and to permanently cure is the mission of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

George Cleveland, charged with petit larceny, and Macaeger Thurman, charged with obtaining goods under false pretenses, were lodged in jail here this week. Both men were indicted by the last grand jury.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of whooping cough, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling in the throat, you can appreciate the value of One Minute Cough Cure, which gives quick relief. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

Sheriff Willard Riden of Farmington came here Monday to convey Joel Gordon to St. Francois county where he is indicted for seduction. Gordon gave bond for his appearance at the St. Francois county circuit court.

Running sores, indolent ulcers and similar troubles, even, even though of many years' standing, may be cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It soothes, strengthens and heals. It is the great pile cure. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

The contract for lighting the city street lamps was awarded to Frank Frichelette last Saturday by the city board at \$1.00 for each lamp per month. The city is at present supplied with 34 lamps. The other bids were as follows: Jos. Lalumondiere, \$1; Robert Montier, \$1; Louis Sennrich, \$1; Jules Lalumondiere, 95 cents; Ang. H. Hemmelgarn, 95 cents; Henry Courtois, 90 cents; John Neis, 88 cents.

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC:**—First class wagonmaker's work done, in approved style and as cheap as anywhere, at the wagon-shop connected with Anton Sucher's new plow factory, Main and Washington streets. I use only new material of the very best quality and guarantee all my work. Come and learn my prices before applying elsewhere. 25tf. LAWRENCE HERZOG.

A team of mules belonging to Mr. John Viox ran away on Market Street Sunday morning, creating considerable excitement. Two of Mr. Viox's sons were thrown violently to the ground and the wagon passed over quite seriously. The other boy escaped with a few slight bruises. Mrs. Viox remained in the wagon until the frightened team was stopped and was not injured. The wagon was badly damaged. A dead cow was being dragged to the river behind a wagon and this scared the team and caused the runaway.

We respectfully solicit our bottle beer drinking friends to drink Ste. Genevieve B. & L. Ass'n. Bavaria Pale Export now on sale in all saloons. Bottled by the Schwenk Bottling Co. It stimulates and strengthens the body and nerves and makes life worth living. SCHWENK BOTTLING CO.

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The Albert Boyer property was purchased at trustee's sale Friday by Mr. Joseph Oberle for the sum of \$925.

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**IN MEMORIAM.**  
THERESA VOGT, DIED SEPT. 15, '97.  
Sweet Christ! let her live, ah! we need her life.  
And we too as she goes!  
Oh! her life is beautiful, sweet and fair.  
Like a holy hymn, and the stillest prayer.  
Let her linger to help us in the strife.  
On earth, with our sins and woes.  
'Twas the cry of thousands who loved her so.  
The Angel of Death said: No! Oh! No!  
She was passing away—and none might save  
Our pride from a spotless grave.  
O God! spare her life, we plead and pray.  
She taught us to love you so—  
So, so much—her life is so sweet and fair.  
A still, still song—and holy prayer:  
She is our pride; Oh! let her stay—  
She goes? To whom shall we go?

'Twas the wail of thousands who loved her so.  
But the Angel of Death murmured low:  
"No, No, No."  
And the voice of her angel from far away  
Sang to Christ in heaven: she must not stay.  
Oh, Mary, kneel at the great white throne,  
And pray with your children there—  
Our hearts need her heart—'tis sweet and fair.  
Like the sound of hymns and the breath of prayer.  
Geth she now—we are lone—so lone,  
And who is there left to care.

'Twas the cry of the souls who loved her so.  
But the Angel of Death sang: Child-  
ren, no!  
And a voice like Christ's from the far away  
Sounded sweet and low: she may not stay.  
From her spouse, mother and sister  
Swept the widest moan,  
O God let our pride stay—  
We need her most—oh! we, how lone.

If she passes from earth away—  
O beautiful Christ for our poor sake  
Let her live for us, else our heart  
Will break.  
But the Angel of Death wept: Poor children! no.  
And Christ sang: Children I will soothe thy woe.  
We leaned on hope that was all in vain,  
Till the terrible word at last  
Told our stricken hearts she was out of pain,  
And her beautiful life had past.

Dust to dust, she was lowered down,  
Children, kneel and pray—  
Give the white rose pride, a flower and crown.  
For the white rose passed away  
Forever, forever, forever.  
A FRIEND

**Card of Thanks.**  
We desire to tender our heartfelt thanks to all those who so kindly and generously assisted us in the last hours of our beloved spouse and daughter.  
WILLIAM VOGT,  
TOLIAS THOMURE.

**Weingarten Items.**  
Many of our patriotic citizens turned out on Thursday of last week to hear Hon. W. J. Bryan, who spoke at the St. Francois County Fair Grounds.  
Nick Grither of New Offenburg is on the sick list.  
Representative J. B. Caldwell of St. Mary's passed through our town on his way home last week.  
Anton Kraenzle has sold his farm to Ferdinand Eisenbeis.

Dr. Presnell, formerly of Bloomsdale, moved his office to Weingarten this week. We wish the doctor success in his practice.  
Joel Laws of Valley Forge passed through here last Sunday looking for a thief, who broke into several houses during the speaking of Hon. W. J. Bryan at Farmington and stole considerable money and a number of other valuable household articles.

The Hogenmiller school re-opened with Prof. Felix Hogenmiller as teacher. This is the professor's fiftieth year as teacher of the same school.  
We understand that Mr. Charles Faller of Ste. Genevieve traded his New Offenburg property to Mr. Gottlieb Rehm for some Ste. Genevieve brewery stock. NIMPORTE, Sept. 22, 1897.

Small precautions often prevent great mischiefs. De Witt's Little Early Risers are very small pills in size, but are more effective in preventing the most serious forms of liver and stomach troubles. They cure constipation and headache and regulate the bowels.

**PERSONAL.**  
—Miss Flora Ernst is visiting in St. Louis.  
—Dr. J. B. Roberts is in St. Mary's this week.  
—Dr. G. M. Rutledge visited the city this week.  
—Mrs. Kate Vich departed for St. Louis Wednesday.  
—Walter Koehler and Henry Klein visited St. Mary's this week.  
—Mrs. J. B. C. LeCompte returned to her home in St. Louis Wednesday.  
—W. W. Bracy, head-cooper at the Come Mills, visited St. Louis this week.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roeder of St. Louis spent this week in Ste. Genevieve.  
—Mr. John W. Vich and wife returned to their home in St. Louis Sunday.  
—Postmaster Lawbaugh and Sylvester Rozier of St. Mary's were in town Tuesday.  
—Mrs. Henry L. Rozier took passage on the Gray Eagle for St. Louis Wednesday.  
—Mrs. Elijah Burgess of Farmington is visiting her father, Mr. Charles Biel in our city.  
—Treasurer Louis Naumann made a trip to Farmington Thursday, returning the same day.  
—Mr. John L. Boverie and wife and Miss Sallie Shaw spent several days of this week in St. Louis.  
—Tony Reich made a business trip to St. Mary's Wednesday in the interest of his tobacco business.  
—Dr. J. V. Braham of Bonne Terre and sister Miss Katie of Farmington are visiting friends in Ste. Genevieve.  
—Wilton Rozier returned home Monday night from a three months' trip to Colorado, Utah and New Mexico.  
—Mrs. Thomas Fleg of St. Louis and son Joseph of Georgetown, Colorado, are visiting relatives in Ste. Genevieve.  
—Joseph Bogy, traveling for the Townsend Commission Company of St. Louis, made a business trip to our town last Saturday.  
—Messrs. Charles Staab and Nicholas Jokers, two prominent business men of Rives aux Vases, came to Ste. Genevieve Wednesday to take the boat for St. Louis.

**Teachers' Institute.**  
Program of the Teachers' Institute to be held in Ste. Genevieve on Saturday, October 2, 1897:  
9:30 to 10:30, Arithmetic.....J. M. Eckard.  
10:30 to 11:30, Discussion.....E. B. Moran.  
11:30 to 12:30, Discussion.....Delta Roseau.  
12:30 to 1:30, Reading.....Delta Roseau.  
1:30 to 2:30, Discussion.....Paul Price.  
2:30 to 3:30, Psychology.....A. C. Chandler.  
3:30 to 4:30, Discussion.....  
4:30 to 5:30, Organization.....  
Those on program will select whatever division of the branch they prefer. Every teacher of the county is earnestly requested to be present that we may organize for more effective work during the coming winter.  
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When a girl is in love with a man she will never believe that he isn't distinguished looking.  
Ever would probably have been awfully unhappy all the rest of her life if she had ever heard of a church wedding.

As long as a man has an idea that he can get away whenever he wants to, a girl has him just where she wants him.

Certainly you don't want to suffer with dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, sallow skin and loss of appetite. You have never tried De Witt's Little Early Risers for these complaints or you would have been cured. They are small pills but great regulators. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

**The New Tenants of the White House.**  
The first and only pictures Mrs. McKinley has had taken in ten years appear in the October number of The Ladies' Home Journal. They form part of a series of new and unpublished photographs of the new occupants of the White House. Mrs. McKinley wore for her picture her inaugural ball dress of silver and white brocade, at the special request of the President, who thought it particularly becoming. The excellent portrait of Mr. McKinley in the picture was taken in June. The other pictures in the series show the many changes in the arrangements and furnishings of the rooms and grounds, made by the President and Mrs. McKinley.

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**COURT CALENDAR.**  
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Hon. John L. Boggs.....Judge  
Spring Term.....Third Monday in May.  
Summer Term.....Third Monday in August.  
Fall Term.....Third Monday in November.  
Winter Term.....Third Monday in February.

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